1910.04 Yard Clippings or Yard Waste

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SUBJECT: Solid Waste.

APPLICATION: Executive Branch Departments and Sub-units.

PURPOSE: To prevent improper disposal of yard clippings or yard waste.

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SUMMARY: After March 27, 1993, no Executive Branch Department or Sub-unit shall dispose

of yard clippings or yard waste in a landfill or incinerator.

After March 27, 1995, no Executive Branch Department or Sub-unit shall burn yard clippings or yard waste, generated or collected on State property located in

a municipality having a population of 7,500 or more, unless specifically

authorized by a local ordinance which shall be registered with the Michigan DEQ, Waste Management Division, Resource Recovery Section. Open burning under an ordinance that otherwise would be prohibited under the Air Pollution Act

(Public Act 384 of 1985) also is not allowed.

APPLICABLE FORMS: None.

PROCEDURES:

Agency:

• Must reduce, compost or mulch yard clippings and other yard waste.

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